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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MARIA ALESSANDRA ALISI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: CHANG, C.C.  
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ACTIVITY

RESTRICTION RESPONSE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed May 20, 2008, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I: Claims 1-22 and 31, drawn to indazolylpiperidinyl compounds and compositions.

Applicants request that the Examiner expand the search to the non-elected claims of Groups II-IV, Claims 23-30 and 32-35, if the elected Group I claims are found allowable.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.